

CHAPTER NO. 283

HOUSE BILL NO. 1289

By Representatives Arriola, Sherry Jones

Substituted for: Senate Bill No. 1580

By Senator Kurita

AN ACT to amend Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-203, relative to the board for licensing health care facilities.

BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE:

SECTION 1. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-203(a), is amended by deleting the language "one (1) of whom shall be the operator of a licensed residential home for the aged;" and by substituting instead the language "one (1) of whom shall be either the operator of a licensed residential home for the aged or a representative of the assisted living industry;".

SECTION 2. Tennessee Code Annotated, Section 68-11-203(a), is further amended by deleting the following sentence:

The new member appointed to represent operators of licensed residential homes for the aged shall be appointed by the governor for a term of four (4) years.

and by substituting instead the following sentence:

Alternating appointments shall be made by the governor for the member appointed to represent either the operators of licensed residential homes for the aged or the assisted living industry. Each such term shall be four (4) years; provided that the first such alternating appointment following the effective date of this act shall be a person to represent the assisted living industry, such appointment to be made following the expiration of the term of the member currently representing operators of licensed residential homes.


SECTION 3. This act shall take effect upon becoming a law, the public welfare requiring it.

PASSED: May 14, 2001


JIMMY RAIFEH, SPEAKER
HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES


JOHN S. WILDER
SPEAKER OF THE SENATE

APPROVED this 22nd day of May 2001


DON CONQUIST, GOVERNOR